February • 2004 AFCES A

TARGET AUDIENCE: Wing Leadership, DCG, IRF & FOE members

AF WMD Installation Training & Exercise Program

SYNOPSIS:

HQ AFCESA/CEXR, at the request of HQ USAF/ILEX, is managing the Air Force Weapons of Mass Destruction Installation Training and Exercise Program (AF WMD-ITEP). AFCESA has contracted Texas A & M's Texas Engineering Extension Service (TEEX) to deliver installation-specific programs both in and out of CONUS.

TWO-PART PROGRAM

The program has two visits; each lasts approximately 10 days. The first visit is the Capabilities Assessment and Exercise Evaluation Team (EET) Training. Our AF WMD Subject Matter Experts work with their functional counterparts (SF, SG, Fire, Readiness, EOD) to complete a CBRNE Capability Assessment for your installation, and to identify the training for emergency responders and leadership to be provided during the second visit. Contractors from TEEX provide training and tools to the installation EET for building exercises. As part of this process, they also build a field training exercise (FTX), specifically oriented toward WMD, that occurs during the second visit.

The second visit occurs approximately one month later, depending on the installation's schedule. The team provides the emergency responder and leadership CBRNE response training. Training involves multiple courses, ranging from a couple of hours to five days in length, covering topics such as these: Key Leaders Workshop; Unified Command & Incident Management System; Air Monitoring and Detection Equipment; EMS Operations & Planning for WMD; and WMD/ Improvised Explosive Device Electronics, Diagnostics, and Disruption Techniques Course. Upon completion of training, the team facilitates a 4–6 hour tabletop exercise to run installation leadership and emergency responders through the FSTR 10-2 response to various WMD scenarios. The following day, the team assists the EET in executing a 12-hour WMD FTX, followed by hot-wash reviews that feed into the final After-Action Report.

Through each visit, the team encourages and works with the installation functional representatives to contact their local counterparts to take part in the training and exercises. One of the program goals is to help the installation and community integrate their emergency response programs. To help this integration, TEEX members use their extensive contacts in the civilian world through their Department of Justice community training programs.

CONTACTS:

The AFCESA team consists of Liaisons for the primary response functional areas:

Major Rodger Schuld, Program Manager Mr. Fred Terryn, Fire/HazMat Liaison rodger.schuld@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6169 fred.terryn@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6460

Mr. Mike Guyne, Medical Liaison Mr. Dave Lewis, Readiness Liaison michael.guyne@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6387 dave.lewis@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6444

Mr. Scott Jones, Security Forces Liaison Mr. Bruce Grabbe, Program Coordinator scott.jones@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6140 bruce.grabbe@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6406

Mr. Richard Auld, EOD Liaison richard.auld@tyndall.af.mil DSN 523-6281





Contact

Bruce Grabbe HQAFCESA/CEXR 139 Barnes Drive Suite 1 Tvndall AFB FL 32403-5319 DSN 523.6406 FAX 523.6383 Comm 850.283.6406 Email bruce.grabbe@ tyndall.af.mil